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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re Application of**

Kikuji Horiuchi

**Serial No.:** 10/693,492

**Group Art Unit:** 3732

**Filed:** October 27, 2003

**Examiner:** Candice Capri Stokes

**For:** ARTIFICIAL ROOT OF A TOOTH

Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313 - 1450w


**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)**

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed March 23, 2006. A Request for Continued Examination is being filed simultaneously herewith. The extension fee in the amount of \$120.00 is included in the total fee for filing the Request for Continued Examination for the above-identified application, a check for which accompanies this submission. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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